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# Irish Band to Fiddle And Dance at Braddock Nights

Sior-Og will perform traditional Irish music at Royal Lake Park on Friday, August 18, 2006, at 7:30 p.m. at part of the Braddock Nights summer concert series. The band incorporates instruments like the uilleann pipes, fiddle, bodhran, guitar and Irish whistles, while dancers whirl around to jigs, reels, slip jigs and hornpipes. Sior-Og tells stories of the Irish experience in both Gaelic and English. Their music speaks to the hardships of famine, emigration and rebellion, and captures the enduring theme of love for their homeland.

Royal Lake Park is located at 5344 Gainsborough Drive, Fairfax.

Concerts are held outdoors, so bring a picnic dinner and blankets, and sit back and enjoy the show. If there is a threat of bad weather call (703) 324-SHOW after 6 p.m. for cancellation updates.

Other Braddock Nights performances can be seen throughout the summer at Ossian Hall Park in Annandale and Lake Accotink Park in Springfield.

Braddock Nights is made possible through the efforts of the Braddock District Supervisor, Friends of Braddock Nights, the Fairfax County Park Authority and the generous support of the local business community.

For more information about any of the summer series contact the Public Information Office at (703) 324-8662 or visit us online at <http://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/parks/performances/>.

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